

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A mixture comprising:

(A) an isocyanurate and/or biuret of 1,6-diisocyanatohexane (HDI);

(B) an isocyanurate of 1-isocyanato-3,5,5-trimethyl-5-isocyanatomethylcyclohexane (IPDI);

(C) at least one emulsifier, obtained by reacting at least one diisocyanate (C2), selected from tetramethylene diisocyanate, hexamethylene diisocyanate (HDI), dodecamethylene diisocyanate, 1,4-diisocyanatocyclohexane, 4,4'-di(isocyanatocyclohexyl) methane, trimethylhexane diisocyanate, tetramethylhexane diisocyanate, 1-isocyanato-3,3,5-trimethyl-5-(isocyanatomethyl)cyclohexane (IPDI), 2,4- or 2,6-tolylene diisocyanate and the isomer mixtures thereof, tetramethylxylylene diisocyanate, p-xylylene diisocyanate, 2,4'-diisocyanatodiphenylmethane or 4,4'-diisocyanatodiphenylmethane, with at least one component (C1), having one group which is reactive toward isocyanate groups, and having one hydrophilic group; and
(D) optionally, a solvent;

wherein, in solvent-free form, (A) is present in an amount of from 30-90% by weight, (B) is present in an amount of from 5-60% by weight, (C) is present in an amount of from 5-40% by weight, and the sum of (A), (B), and (C) is equal to 100% by weight.

Claims 2 and 3 (Canceled).

Claim 4 (Previously Presented): The mixture as claimed in claim 1, wherein component (C1) is one polyalkylene oxide polyether alcohol, obtained by reacting at least

one saturated aliphatic alcohol, having 1 to 4 carbon atoms in the alkyl radical, with ethylene oxide, propylene oxide or a mixture thereof.

Claim 5 (Previously Presented): The mixture as claimed in claim 4, wherein the polyalkylene oxide polyether alcohol contains, on average, from 5 to 35 ethylene oxide units per molecule.

Claim 6 (Previously Presented): The mixture as claimed in claim 1, wherein at least one of the components (A) and/or (B) has additionally been at least partly reacted with a component (C1).

Claim 7 (Previously Presented): The mixture as claimed in claim 1, wherein a carbonic ester or lactone is used as solvent (D).

Claim 8 (Previously Presented): The mixture as claimed in claim 1, wherein the solvent is present in amounts up to 60%, by weight, based on the total mixture.

Claim 9 (Previously Presented): A polymer dispersion, comprising the mixture as claimed in claim 1, and one or more additives.

Claim 10 (Previously Presented): A coating composition, comprising the mixture as claimed in claim 1, and one or more additives.

Claim 11 (Previously Presented): A method of coating a substrate, comprising, applying the mixture as claimed in claim 1, as a coating material, to the substrate.

Claim 12 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 11, wherein the substrate is selected from wood, wood veneer, paper, paperboard, cardboard, textile, leather, nonwoven, plastic surfaces, glass, ceramic, mineral building materials, coated metals or uncoated metals.

Claim 13 (Previously Presented): A method of adhesively bonding substrates, comprising, applying the mixture as claimed in claim 1, to at least one substrate.

Claim 14 (Previously Presented): A coating composition, comprising the polymer dispersion as claimed in claim 9, and one or more additives.

Claim 15 (Previously Presented): A method of adhesively bonding substrates, comprising, applying the polymer dispersion of claim 9, to at least one substrate.

Claim 16 (New): The mixture according to claim 1, wherein component (A) is an isocyanurate of 1,6-diisocyanatohexane (HDI).

Claim 17 (New): The mixture according to claim 1, wherein component (A) is a biuret of 1,6-diisocyanatohexane (HDI).

Claim 18 (New): The mixture according to claim 1, wherein component (A) is a mixture of an isocyanurate and a biuret of 1,6-diisocyanatohexane (HDI).

Claim 19 (New): The mixture according to claim 1, wherein component (C2) is 2,4-tolylene diisocyanate, 2,6-tolylene diisocyanate, or a mixture thereof.

Claim 20 (New): The mixture according to claim 1, wherein the solvent (D) is propylene carbonate.